

WORCESTER LACKING OF STATE DEFENSE DECLARES RALSTON OFFENSES EFFECTED

"Open Letter Noticeable for Anacostia Branch Plans for
What He Doesn't Deny," Attorney Says. Lecture Last of This Month.

"The open letter of Mr. Worcester is more noticeable for what it does not deny than for what it disputes."

This is the concluding statement of an open letter issued today by Jackson R. Ralston, the Washington attorney, in reply to the open letter of Dean C. Worcester, secretary of the House Committee on Insular Affairs, for which Mr. Ralston appeared before the House Committee on Insular Affairs in its investigation of Philippine land transactions last winter.

Mr. Worcester's Term.

Mr. Worcester, in his letter, charged Mr. Ralston with having personally "testified" with relation to facts not in the record, and that he had made false representations as to facts in evidence. The Philippine official used such expressions as "willful false statement," "false testimony," "liar," "deliberate lie," "moral obliquity," and "obviously false" in his attack on Mr. Ralston and Mr. Wilson.

Ignoring Transactions.

Attention is called sharply to the fact that Mr. Worcester ignored the transactions by which officers and employees of the Philippine government purchased land at the summer capital at Baguio, the leasing of large tracts to American sugar interests, and the leasing of large tracts to certain employees of the commission. After describing the transactions ignored by Mr. Worcester, Mr. Ralston says:

"So long as those statements remain unchallenged—and they are indisputable—Secretary Worcester has cause to be thankful that he has escaped, as long as he has, removal from office."

Deposits Decrease.

Loans Are Larger

NEW YORK, March 18.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes:

Reserve on all deposits, decrease, \$3,254,000.

Reserve on deposits other than United States, decrease, \$3,254,000.

Loans, increase, \$1,491,000.

Specific deposits, increase, \$1,491,000.

Legal tenders, increase, \$1,491,000.

Deposits, decrease, \$1,491,000.

Circulation, decrease, \$1,491,000.

Total assets, increase, \$1,491,000.

Surplus, \$1,491,000, as compared with \$1,491,000 a year ago, and \$1,491,000 two years ago.

Traction Line Wants

Employees Grammatical

NEW YORK, March 18.—In an effort to have its employees make out reports that are grammatically correct, the Interborough Railway Company published the following report by one of its trainmen in the monthly paper that is distributed among the employees.

The newspaper carries three small columns of papers off at the 12th street station and struck a woman who was standing on the platform on her head.

Four Burned to Death

In a Boston Tenement

BOSTON, March 18.—Four persons are known to have been burned to death in a fire that destroyed a south-end tenement early today. Several others were reported missing. A score of persons had narrow escapes.

Service Orders

ARMY.

First Lieutenant JOSEPH W. LOVE,

Medical Reserve Corps, from Fort

Proble, Maine, to Fort Banks, Massachusetts.

First Lieutenant RALPH W. NEW-

TON, Medical Reserve Corps, from

Fort Revere to Fort Andrews, Mass.

Captain PAUL H. MALONE, Twenty-

seventh Infantry, is relieved from his

present duties, to this city at the

proper time and report in person on

or about March 20, 1911, to the chief

of staff for duty.

By direction of the President, Captain

PAUL H. MALONE, Twenty-seventh

Infantry, is relieved from his present

duties, to this city at the proper time

and report in person on or about

March 20, 1911, to the chief of staff

for duty.

First Lieutenant ANDREW D. CHAP-

MAN, Twenty-seventh Infantry, is de-

tached for general recruiting service

at Fort Slocum, N. Y., relieving Cap-

tain GEORGE W. MASTERS, Eight

Infantry, from duty at that de-

pot and from further duty on re-

cruiting service.

NAVY.

Lieutenant Commander W. D. LEAHY,

detached California, as a navigator,

to ordnance officer, Pacific fleet.

Lieutenant Commander W. McDOW-

ELL, detached California, to Califor-

nia, as navigator.

Lieutenant Commander T. D. PARKER,

to navy yard, San Francisco.

Lieutenant Commander H. H. REY-

NOLDS, detached Iowa, to Bureau of

Steam Engineering, Washington D. C.

Lieutenant Commander L. A. BOST-

WICK, detached Iowa, to commandant,

navy yard, Norfolk, Va., to inspec-

tion officer, navy yard, Norfolk, Va.

Surgeon A. FAREHOLT, detached

naval hospital, Fugate Sound, Wash.,

to duty marine recruiting station,

San Francisco, Cal.

Passed Assistant Surgeon W. B. SMITH,

detached marine recruiting station,

San Francisco, Cal., to Naval Medi-

cal School, Washington, D. C., for

instruction.

Pay Director G. W. SIMPSON, detached

Bureau of Supplies and Accounts,

Washington, D. C., to inspect sick

leave three months.

Chief Boatman A. R. NICKERSON,

when discharged, treatment, Naval

Medical School Hospital, Washington,

D. C., to Nebraska.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS.

Arrived—Tacoma at Galveston; Wheel-

ing and Chester at Puerto Cortes.

Perkins at Newport; Yorktown at

San Blas, First, Third, and Fourth

divisions of Atlantic fleet at Ham-

pton Roads; Brutus and Roe at

Hampton Roads.

Steel Corporation's Good Showing Aids Stock Market STOCK MARKET CLOSED HIGHER, SHORTS COVERING FREELY. "MOPS" ACTIVE.

Only Odd Lots Sold—Wash-
ington and Virginia Shares
Strong—Gas Firmer.

There was considerable doing in the local market in a small way, without any special activity in anything. Prices showed little or no change and the undertone of the list was just about as steady as possible, there being no desire to make sales below former quotations or to bid up the price to bring up stock. The bid price of Washington Gas was raised 1/8 to 2 3/4, while stock was offered at 30 and small sales were made at that price.

Interest in Washington and Virginia railroad shares was excited by the decision yesterday, although the immediate effect was to reduce the price of the stock from 15 to 10 cents, assured no important inroad into the revenues of the company. The stock of the Virginia Railway was sold at 25 1/2, practically the same as on Thursday.

A little Capital Traction sold at 12 1/2, and a small lot of Union Pacific was sold at 14 1/2, and of Union Savings at 24.

There were the usual rumors about the probable change of hands at the Bank of Washington, which were vigorously denied by official authority.

The officers of the Washington Clearing House Association, who will retire next Tuesday night, unless re-elected, are: W. A. Mead, president; J. H. McKee, vice president; George W. Fleming, secretary; and Elbridge E. Jordan, treasurer.

At the meeting of the association on Tuesday night the matter of entertaining the National Monetary Commission at a dinner will be brought up for consideration, and it is probable that action thereon will be favorable.

Today's Sales on

The Local Exchange

Washington Gas 5's, \$500,000, 100 1/2.
Capital Traction, 200,000, 12 1/2.
Mergenthaler, 60,000, 40 1/2.
Washington Railway & Electric, 100,000, 25 1/2.
National Bank of Washington, 20,000, 40 1/2.
Union Trust, 40,000, 50 1/2.
Union Savings Bank, 100,000, 24.
Afternoon Washington Gas 5's, \$10,000, 100 1/2.
Washington-Virginia Railway, 100,000, 25 1/2.
Washington Gas, 500,000, 2 3/4.

Bid and Asked On

Local Exchange

U. S. Reg. 3's, 100 1/2.
U. S. Coupon 4's, 100 1/2.
U. S. Reg. 3's, 100 1/2.
U. S. Coupon 4's, 100 1/2.
U. S. Reg. 3's, 100 1/2.
U. S. Coupon 4's, 100 1/2.

GAS BONDS.

Georgetown Gas 5's, 100 1/2.
Washington Gas 5's, 100 1/2.
Washington Gas 5's, 100 1/2.

RAILROAD BONDS.

Capital Traction R. 5's, 100 1/2.
Anacostia & Potomac 5's, 100 1/2.
City & Suburban 5's, 100 1/2.
Metropolitan Nat. Bank 5's, 100 1/2.
Washington & Annapolis 5's, 100 1/2.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

Potomac Elec. Co. 5's, 100 1/2.
Rock Hill 5's, 100 1/2.
St. L. & W. 5's, 100 1/2.
St. L. & W. 5's, 100 1/2.

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

Capital Traction, 100 1/2.
Washington Gas, 100 1/2.
Washington Gas, 100 1/2.

TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.

Mergenthaler, 100 1/2.
Bantam Monotype, 100 1/2.

NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.

Am. National Bank, 100 1/2.
Capital City Nat. Bank, 100 1/2.
City Nat. Bank, 100 1/2.

TRUST COMP. STOCKS.

Amer. Sec. & Trust, 100 1/2.
National Sav. & Trust, 100 1/2.
Union Trust, 100 1/2.

SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.

Home Savings, 100 1/2.
Mech. Sav. Bank, 100 1/2.
Union Savings, 100 1/2.

FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.

Arlington Fire Insurance, 100 1/2.
Com. Fire Insurance, 100 1/2.
Fireman's Insurance, 100 1/2.

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.

Columbia Title Insurance, 100 1/2.
Washington Title Ins., 100 1/2.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Emerson Steam Pump, 100 1/2.
Grapho, 100 1/2.
Hercules, 100 1/2.

Chicago Grain.

Furnished to The Washington Times by A. G. Plant & Co., 1414 1/2 St. N. W.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is

Laxative Bromo Quinine

NEW YORK, March 18.—The market was weak at the opening, but improved materially in the final hour of the session. The display of strength disturbed the equilibrium of the bears, who had successfully worked for a reaction; on Friday afternoon, and made them run to cover. Before doing so they made another attempt to break the list, using Missouri Pacific as a club, and were successful in breaking it 1/2 of a point, but when they came to cover their contracts in the usual Saturday evening-up process they found little stock for sale and were compelled to pay higher figures before covering.

The situation in Missouri Pacific is certainly interesting. The improvement started on February 1 from about 50, and approximately 250,000 shares were traded on the way up to 62. On the decline back to 50, about 325,000 shares were bought and sold, and the stock is back now to where it was before the start. The prospect of improvement in the affairs of the company was in sight. It looks as if the selling came from one of the family interests, the stock being into the situation to secure a special dividend. Of course, also, a good many of the traders who bought on the way up have unloaded in disgust. Probably the entrance of the banking interests into the property has materially improved its prospects, and with the stock back to the price before any such development occurred, it looks better.

The leaders of the session in activity were the old favorites, while Union Pacific and United States Steel gave an exhibition of strength that was entirely satisfactory to the holders of these securities. There was good reason for the advance in steel common of full point during the two hours, in the annual report. There was a balance available for common dividend, after the payment of fixed charges, dividend on the preferred, betterments, etc., on a liberal scale of 12 1/2 per cent, as compared with 10 1/2 for the previous fiscal year.

Foreign sentiment is generally favorable to American securities and in this feeling there seems to be at least a tentative refusal to recognize any possible danger in the world's peace, in so far as the United States might be affected. The Lake Shore Railroad Company, of the New York Central system, has sold \$12,000,000 short term notes in Paris.

New York city national banks in their statement of March 7 showed a gain of deposits of \$13,000,000, as compared with the report of January 7, 1911. Trust companies increased deposits from November 10 to February 23 to the amount of \$6,000,000.

Dun's and Bradstreet's report only slight improvement in trade condition, but it is an improvement.

The street has an impression that the trust decisions will come out Monday, although without rhyme or reason other than that the time that has elapsed between the hearings and rehearings has been sufficient for the discussion of the case.

The steel figures would have been more potent for higher prices had the decision been out of the way.

Missouri Pacific was naturally one of the most active securities on the list, fluctuating between 51 1/2 and the opening, 49 1/2, the low, and 51 1/2, the close.

Reading was active, but made only 1/4 advance. Union Pacific rose to 17 1/2, as compared with a close of 17 1/4 yesterday. Steel common 7 1/4, a point higher. Norfolk and Western, and New York Central gained 1/4. Copper 3/4 better. Smelter slightly higher.

General Electric was the strongest industrial with 1 1/4 net gain.

Today's New York Stock Exchange Prices

Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members of New York Stock Exchange, Washington Stock Exchange, and Chicago Board of Trade Hibbs Building.

RAILROADS.

A. T. & S. Fe. com. 100 1/2, 100 1/2, 100 1/2.
A. T. & S. Fe. pfd. 100 1/2, 100 1/2, 100 1/2.
Atlan. Coast Line, 100 1/2, 100 1/2, 100 1/2.
B. & O., com. 100 1/2, 100 1/2, 100 1/2.
B. & O., pfd. 100 1/2, 100 1/2, 100 1/2.

INDUSTRIALS.

Amal. Copper, 40 1/2, 40 1/2, 40 1/2.
Am. Beet Sugar, com. 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2.
Am. Can, com. 9 1/2, 9 1/2, 9 1/2.
Am. Can, pfd. 80 1/2, 80 1/2, 80 1/2.

BONDS.

Amer. Tobacco 5's, 85 1/2, 85 1/2, 85 1/2.
B. & O. Gen. 4's, 98 1/2, 98 1/2, 98 1/2.
B. & O. R. T. 4's, 98 1/2, 98 1/2, 98 1/2.

Wholesale Produce Market

Cheese—New York, new, 14 1/2; fat cheese, 14 1/2; dairy cheese, 14 1/2.

Eggs—Nearby, fresh, 17 1/2 per doz.

Live Poultry—Hens, 15 1/2 per lb.; chickens, 16 1/2 per lb.; turkeys, 18 1/2 per lb.

Green Goods—Apples, per bbl., \$5.00; sugar, per bbl., \$5.00; corn, per bbl., \$5.00.

Open High Low Close

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July 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2

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Want Ads for The Sunday Evening Times are received at the Main Office of The Times on Saturday nights until 11 o'clock and on Sundays till noon.

Telephone Main 5250 and give your advertisement over the telephone if you like. Then, too, Times Want Ads are received in nearly every drug store at regular rates.

Want Ads in The Sunday Evening Times bring

Monday Morning Results

Grant John-P. F. White et ux. to Corneille Robinson, lot 41, square 210, 1/2.

Brooklyn-Benjamin Irving et ux. to William J. D. Thomas, part 4, block 17, 1/2.

Woodbridge-Ella A. Madden et ux. to W. H. Colville, lot 41, square 423, 1/2.

Woodbridge-Ella A. Madden et ux. to W. H. Colville, lot 41, square 423, 1/2.

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District Realty Transfers

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